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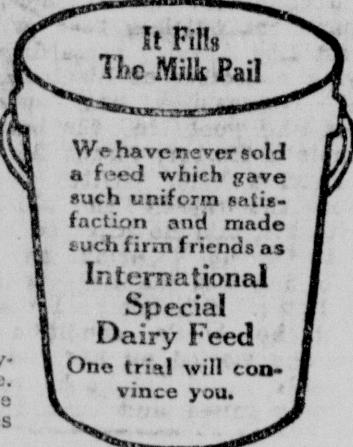
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Damage by insects costs American farmers yearly nearly \$600,000,000.

A woman who wore a pedometer for one month found she had walked 400 miles doing her household duties.

The gold bullion received from Alaska last year amounted to \$14,566,013.

Boston has a library given 216 years ago by King William III to King's Chapel, which is still a fashionable church.

Tanners, brewers and ink makers are immune from consumption, it is said; workers in rope and turnpentine works are free from rheumatism, copper miners never fear typhoid, and tar roofers are most free from disease germs.

Cow barns are models of cleanliness in Holland. Some farmers place mats before the doors and visitors must wipe their feet before entering.

Mrs. Florence Krause of Newark, N. J., recently wed secretly, and it was discovered that five of her ancestors had done the same thing.

New York leads the other states in number of autos, with 60,475 cars. Illinois is second, followed by Pennsylvania, Ohio, California and Iowa.

Dressed Chickens, Douglas Grocery.

DISTRICT MEETING OF FARMERS' INSTITUTE NEXT WEEK

The meeting of the Twenty-first district of the Illinois Farmers' Institute will be held in the state house at Springfield April 14. The twentieth district will hold their meeting in the Dunlap House in this city April 16.

Star Cream Cheese, Douglas Grocery.

STATES CONDITIONS IN SERBIA GROWING WORSE

London, April 10.—(3:47 a. m.)—The Athens correspondent of the Daily Chronicle sends a statement by Captain E. N. Bennet of the British Red Cross commission to Serbia who declares the conditions in Serbia are growing worse and that the percentage of deaths from typhus is frightful. At Monastir for example the captain found 3,000 typhus patients with only ten doctors to attend them. He says that the death rate there is between fifty and sixty percent.

Drink Claus' Famous Coffees.

MONSIGNOR McCREADY DIES.

New York, April 9.—The Right Rev. Monsignor Charles McCready, LL.D., widely known Catholic churchman, died here tonight from pneumonia after a brief illness.

CLAIM DEFEAT OF TURKS.

Petrograd, via London, April 9.—(12:37 a. m.)—An official communication concerning the fighting in the Caucasus says:

"On the sixth of April our troops threw back the Turks along the whole line between Old and Arziv."

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The jitney Service.
Des Moines has sixty-eight jitneys on the main routes. They haul about 42,000 people a day and average \$12 per jit. In most cities the majority of jitney business is new transportation, handling people who would otherwise walk. What a wail from the street car companies is heard over the country.

Conditions Improving.
Business conditions in the United States are showing improvement, according to reports from national bank examiners made public Thursday night by the treasury department. Maine is said to be the only state in which real business depression exists. The present outlook throughout the country and the basic conditions are good. Retail trade is reviving and the crop prospects over the country are reported excellent. Confidence is being restored in the business world.

Friday's Stock Market.
Friday's stock market in New York was most exciting. Transactions aggregated almost 1,700,000 shares and gains extended from 3 to 7½ points in leading issues. The treasury department's statement which bore out unofficial advices of general domestic improvement and the persistent circulation of peace rumors, even though those met with prompt denial, were among the favorable factors which seemed to awaken the market to unusual action.

The Wheat Situation.
The figures issued by the Department of Agriculture showing winter wheat prospects indicate that the country may have a total winter and spring wheat yield of 919,000,000 bushels. Conditions surrounding the wheat situation in this country and in Europe well indicate that such a record breaking crop would meet a good market.

There is little fear that the farmer will get a sharply decreased price for his wheat, even if the war in Europe should end. The surplus wheat stocks in this country have been lowered as a result of the enormous exports since last fall. We are going to need an enormous yield this year for our own use.

The winter wheat yield, as estimated for April 1, is 619,000,000 bushels, compared to an estimate of 580,000,000 bushels on Dec. 1, 1914, while the harvest a year ago was 634,000,000 bushels.

This is surely a spring season that is offering the farmer every reason for looking cheerfully to the future.

A Friend of Labor.

Testimony given yesterday before the United States commission on industrial relations again bears witness to the friendship E. H. Harriman, the great railroad magnate, bore the laboring man. It was related in the testimony that in making concessions to the men which would bring the strike of 1902 to an end, Harriman did so, on account of the women and children who would have suffered by the strike. J. W. Kline, general president of the International Association of Blacksmiths and Helpers made the statement at the hearing yesterday that it was his belief that had Harriman lived the disastrous strike of 1910 the Harriman lines would not have taken place.

The world needs more men of the Harriman spirit today, men who look beyond their own selfish interests in business life, men who have feelings for the other fellow and can see both sides of a question.

CHARGE CONDUCT UNBECOMING A MINISTER

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RUSSEL ADMITS HE MAY BE IN RACE FOR GOVERNOR

State Treasurer Boomed for Office
Says its Early to Make Announcement.

Springfield, April 9.—State Treasurer Andrew Russel, who was boomed for governor at a meeting of Chicago Republican leaders in Chicago last night, admitted today that he may be a candidate.

"I may be a candidate for governor but it is too early for me to make official announcement," he said. "I am busy now getting my office in proper shape. The munition I received at Chicago was a surprise to me. It was very flattering and I appreciate it, but I am not ready to say what I will do."

Russel Strong Man.

Mayor-Elect Thompson of Chicago is faced by the embarrassment of having two particular friends in the race for governor Col. Frank O. Lowden and Col. Frank L. Smith. The lining up of the organization for Russel was a surprise.

Mr. Russel has made two successful campaigns for state treasurer, being elected last fall for the second time. He has a wide acquaintance and it is believed will encounter no opposition from any element in the Republican organization.

In fact the assurance is given that the main purpose of the slate making was not to build up a new political machine but to lay the foundation for a harmonious campaign before the primaries next year. The same spirit moved the conference in selecting names for county offices also. It is not believed that any of the persons proposed will be antagonized with the organization.

REWARD CREW FOR RESISTING GERMAN SUBMARINE ATTACK

LONDON, April 9.—(8:17 p. m.)—The government's intention to encourage merchantmen to resist or dodge submarine attacks is emphasized by an official announcement today that Captain John Richard Green of the steamer Vosges, which was sunk off the Cornish coast on March 27, by the shell fire of a German submarine, has been granted a commission as Lieutenant in the royal naval reserve and awarded the distinguished service cross. The other officers of the steamer have been given gold watches and each member of the crew has received three pounds (\$15).

WESLEYAN WINS GAME.

Bloomington, Ill., April 9.—Baseball—Wesleyan, 10; State Normal, 1.

ROUND BARN POSSESSES THEORETICAL ADVANTAGES

ADmiral Cowles urges greater preparedness of Navy for war

NEW YORK, April 9.—Rear-Admiral William S. Cowles urged greater preparedness of the navy for war at a meeting here tonight of the New York Genealogical and Biographical Society. Admiral Cowles suggested that every young man in the United States should be obliged to spend a few days each year in the service of the navy.

Col. Edwin F. Glenn, chief of staff to Major General Wood said:

"The navy is our first line of defense and when that fails the American army is so small that God help us."

COMPLAINS NOTHING HAS BEEN ACCOMPLISHED BY PROTESTS

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FAIL TO DISCOVER REASON FOR RUMORS OF WAR ON HOLLAND

THE HAGUE, via London, April 9.—(10:22 p. m.)—The closest inquiries made today in diplomatic, ministerial and military circles, failed to discover the reason for the alarming rumors printed yesterday in London newspapers relative to the possibility of hostilities between Holland and Germany or for the charging of high insurance premiums. Nothing appears to have arisen recently at any point along the frontier which would cause Holland to cease to maintain her position of strict neutrality.

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3 cans string beans	25c
3 pounds good head rice	25c
3 packages corn flakes	25c
2 pounds lard for	25c
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6 bars Sunny Monday soap	25c
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Mrs. William Goodell of Virginia was among the shoppers in the city Friday.

Mrs. Caroline Patterson of Alexander was a shopper in Jacksonville Friday.

Miss Fern Sherwood of Springfield was a visitor in Jacksonville Friday.

William Norman of Literberry was among the Friday visitors in the city.

George Beekman of Pisgah was trading with local merchants yesterday.

Miss Susan Carlson of Murrayville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Milton Todd of Arnold was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Troy Williams of Concord was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

Miss Emma Burnett helped represent Waverly in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Frank Miller of Franklin was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Come in and ask about our new \$15.00 suit proposition. **WORFOLK**.

Miss Charabelle Megginson of Woodson was in the city yesterday.

H. C. Chaffin of Ferrin, Ill., was a visitor with city people yesterday.

Miss Ellen Sherry of Manchester made trip to the city yesterday.

Miss Nannie Rowan of Virginia was shopping in the city yesterday.

J. R. Porter of Detroit was a Jacksonville business visitor Friday.

J. E. Osborne of Murrayville was called to the city by business yesterday.

S. J. Hamworth was in Jacksonville yesterday, a caller from Quincy.

The Ozarks of Missouri are noted for health and dairying. Land ranging in price from \$10 to \$25 per acre, improved. J. P. Cowdin, Mt. Grove, Mo.

J. E. Keller of Indianapolis was a Jacksonville business caller Friday.

Miss Emma Jackson helped represent Franklin in the city yesterday.

James Gordon of Greenville was a Friday business caller in Jacksonville.

William McCarley of Woodson was a caller in Jacksonville yesterday.

G. G. Shackleford of Chicago was a business caller in the city yesterday.

Henry Strawn of Alexander was a shopper with city merchants yesterday.

Mrs. Claude Orr of Chambersburg was a shopper in the city yesterday.

George Barnhart from south of the city was a business caller Friday.

Robert Hill of Lyndon precinct was among the business men in the city yesterday.

J. M. Lockhart of Sinclair was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.

Mitchell Zachary of the east part of the county called on some city people yesterday.

Miss Allie Vaughn of Roodhouse journeyed to the city yesterday for trading purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slack of Franklin were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Fred Trotter of Sinclair was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Austin of Palmyra were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

D. T. Smith of Winchester was attending to matters of business in Jacksonville Friday.

Frank Elliott, president of the Elliott State bank, is a visitor with his son in Chicago.

If you like cocoanut, buy a lb. of cocoanut carmels today for 20c at Merrigan's.

Mrs. Harry Obermeyer and young son expect to go home today from Our Savior's hospital.

Miss Minnie Green of the vicinity of Ashbury was among those who visited the city yesterday.

William C. Rhone of East Liverpool, Ohio, was transacting business in Jacksonville Friday.

J. M. Pine, a well known citizen of Bluff, was a visitor yesterday with city business men.

Miss Catharine Kaiser of Alexander was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

G. W. Pierson of Chicago was transacting business with Jacksonville business men Friday.

Thomas Buchanan of Pisgah precinct was attending to business affairs in the city yesterday.

In the account of the funeral of Mrs. Richard Driver it should have said that Mrs. James Scott furnished the music at the grave instead of Mrs. Day.

Mrs. Charles Coyne of Murrayville was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Peter McCabe of Murrayville was a shopper in Jacksonville Friday.

Miss Alice Lonergan of Murrayville was added to the list of shoppers in the city yesterday.

Frank Kincaid of Greenview is visiting his cousin, Joseph Johnson, on West Lafayette avenue.

Ivan Cox of the vicinity of Orleans was attracted to the city by business interests yesterday.

Oliver Hamm of the east part of the county was among the business men in the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Cockin of West Lafayette avenue was spending Saturday and Sunday in Alexander.

Miss Armstrong has gone to Franklin to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burley Jones.

Dr. H. C. Campbell of White Hall was among the professional visitors in the city Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Haynes and son Russell were in the city yesterday from Franklin precinct.

A big Saturday special, cocoanut carmels, 20c the lb., at Merrigan's.

James McNeely of the southeast part of the county was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Drink Claus' Famous Coffees.

Mrs. Dan Powell of Raymond was among the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Miss Ella Kahl has returned to her home in Pana after a visit with Miss Althea Hall of Alexander.

J. W. Gamble of New York was a representative of the traveling fraternity in the city yesterday.

Miss Lucy Muehlhausen returned yesterday to White Hall after a sojourn of a few days in the city.

A. M. Hoover of the north part of the county was numbered among the visitors in the city yesterday.

20c will buy 1 lb. of fresh cocoanut carmels today at Merrigan's.

Mrs. Joseph Megginson of the south part of the county was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Koch is spending the week end with her daughter, Mrs. James Monroe of Springfield.

Mrs. Mary Anderson of Pisgah was enrolled among the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Skeens of Springfield were callers on some of the people of Jacksonville yesterday.

Mrs. Sarah J. Johnson and her son, the Rev. W. R. Johnson, were city visitors yesterday from White Hall.

Fresh Bulk Olives. Douglas Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Winter of the south part of the county were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mrs. R. L. Oliver and sister, Miss Reesie, arrived in the city yesterday from Sinclair for shopping purposes.

Don't forget the big special sale on cocoanut candy today at Merrigan's.

Miss Anna McPhail expects to spend Sunday in Mt. Sterling, the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McPhail.

Edward Green of the east part of the county was in the city yesterday visiting his daughter, a student at Whipple academy.

Miss Helen Morgan of Springfield left for her home last evening after a visit with friends in Jacksonville and Literberry.

Star Cream Cheese. Douglas Grocery.

Miss Annabel Crum expects to leave this morning for her home in Literberry after a short visit with Miss Sue Fox, 225 Caldwell street.

Market will be held today by the Second Ward Parent-Teachers association in the window of the Western Union office. Home made cakes, cookies, salads, cottage cheese, etc.

If you are interested in buying a cheap farm address J. P. Cowdin, Mt. Grove, Mo.

Mrs. Edwin Foreman and son, Donald Foreman, of Bloomington are in the city for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Norton O. Foreman, 881 Case avenue.

A. J. Woods of Waverly is in the city visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. B. Rogers and attending the annual Easter supper of Grace M. E. church Wednesday evening.

James P. Ball, the house mover, is in the midst of a big undertaking, changing the location of the big horse barn erected by J. T. Mathers just south of the city to the place of Mr. Doane on Lincoln avenue. Mr. Ball is moving it in two pieces and it is quite an undertaking but it seems to be getting there all right.

The Junior Etude Club will hold a market on West State street today.

NO PICTURES OF EIGHT.

Persons who had hoped to see the Willard-Johnson Eight, in motion pictures will be disappointed.

It was recalled in Washington that a federal statute expressly forbids not only the interstate transportation of eight films but the importation of such films from foreign countries.

It provides a fine of \$1,000 and imprisonment for one year or both for each offense.

The law was passed by congress on July 31, 1910, 27 days after the Johnson-Jeffries fight at Reno, Nevada.

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DESIGNS POSITION.

Miss Alice Phillips, who has been instructor of public school methods, sight singing and ear training at the Conservatory of Music has resigned. No successor has been appointed.

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TO HAVE MAY BREAKFAST.

The Ladies' Aid society of Westminster church at their meeting Thursday made plans for their May breakfast to be held at the church.

See our new Spring Hats in \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, in all new shades. **WORFOLK**.

BUTTERICK SCHOOL OPENS.

The Butterick School of Dress-making at Hillerby's dry goods store opened yesterday with good interest in all the classes. The school is held in the upstairs rooms and is in charge of Mrs. A. Milligan of New York city.

Drink Claus' Famous Coffees.

Miss Leon Souza should have been named among the Jacksonville high school freshmen who received honorable mention for excellence in grades last month.

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FIRST ANNUAL CONCERT FRIDAY
BY J.H.S. BAND AND ORCHESTRA

Two-Part Program at David Prince School is Well Carried Out—Pupils Win Laurels in "Mrs. Oakley's Telephone," Clever Farce.

Little need be said in praise of the high school band and orchestra concert at David Prince auditorium Friday evening, as the skill and ability of each musician was evident from the first of the two-part program and the words of satisfied hearers pronounce this first annual event a complete success. After the musical program pupils of the high school pleased all with an able presentation of "Mrs. Oakley's Telephone" by Eulora Jennings. So laughable did the comedy become that the audience was quite taken aback with each new antic of Mary, the cook, and the thorny way of true love as the play approached a climax of surpassing cleverness. Fred W. Goddick as director of the band and orchestra and Miss Jeanette Taylor had in charge the training for the play.

The members of the band are: William Bartlett, Harold Boyd, McKendree Blair, Byron Carpenter, John Claus, Harold Dunlap, William Faugust, Wayne Gibbs, Uriel Govia, Denham Harney, Brooks Huber, Ernest LaBoyteaux, Eugene Milburn, Paul Morrison, Clifford Obermeyer, Russell Pinkerton, Leonard Potter, John Pyatt, Frank Robinson, Wilbur Rogers, Dewey S'her, Carl Spender and Byron Willerton.

The orchestra members are: William Bartlett, Harold Boyd, Anna Frances Bradley, Earl Briscoe, Byron Carpenter, John Claus, Jean Coulter, Harold Dunlap, Grace Hoffman, Ernest LaBoyteaux, Eugene Milburn, Paul Morrison, Russell Pinkerton, Wilbur Rogers and Helen Sorrells.

The program follows:

Part I. Band.
Under the Double Eagle ... Wagner Overture, Kaiser ... Keister Simple Aveu F. Thorm American Patrol Meacham

Part II. Orchestra.
Grand Selection—Faust Gounod-Roberts Scene De Procession Geo. D. Barnard

Part II. Farce.
"Mrs. Oakley's Telephone," the comedy in two acts had the following characters:

Mrs. Oakley, a bride—Ruth Hackett.

Constance, her friend—Leone Dawson.

Mary, the cook—Hazel Widmayer. Emma, the maid—Edith Rodgers. Mr. Oakley—Dale Poxell. Mr. Colby—Fred Mayer.

Act I. Morning: Scene—A passageway containing the telephone in the Oakley home.

Act II. Evening: Scene—Same as Act I.

Dressed Chickens. Douglas Grocery.

COMMERCIAL LAW CLASS MAKES VISIT TO SHERIFF

Pupils of Mr. Collins' class in commercial law at the Jacksonville high school made visits Friday afternoon to the sheriff's office in the county court house and to the Morgan county jail. At the court house Deputy Sheriff Green showed the various kinds of warrants, explained how arrests are made and bond secured. Deputy Sheriff Stice conducted the party through the jail, showed how a prisoner is brought in and searched and mentioned the methods of feeding and giving exercise. The trip was made through courtesy of Sheriff Graff who, however, found it impossible to be in the city at the time.

Fresh vegetables. Douglas Grocery.

MRS. DAY WILL APPEAR IN COMPLIMENTARY CONCERT

Mrs. Rosalind M. Day, instructor in violin at Illinois Woman's college, will appear Tuesday night in a concert at St. Louis given in honor of Ernest Richard Kroeger, the great American composer. Nu Phi Epsilon sorority will give the concert at the Artists' Guild and compositions of Mr. Kroeger only, will be used.

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FARMERS OF DISTRICT WILL MEET HERE APRIL 16

The conference for the 20th Congressional district of the Illinois Farmers' Institutes will be held at the Dunlap house Friday, April 16 at 10 a. m. Four delegates from each county of the district will have their way paid to the conference and at this time plans will be made for the institute work for the coming fall and winter months.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors, also employees of the Jacksonville Railway company, for kindness and sympathy shown us during our recent bereavement, and for the many beautiful flowers.

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Mrs. Oda Owens of Chapin, Mrs. Fret Pinkerton and Miss Lucy Muehlhausen of White Hall and Mrs. H. C. Albright and daughter Mayme, of New Berlin were in the city to attend the funeral of Otto Lindemann Jr.

Drink Claus' Famous Coffees.

MORTUARY

Cherry.

John B. Cherry, a veteran gardener of Roodhouse died Thursday morning at the age of 80 years, 4 months and 4 days. He had been a resident of Roodhouse for over 40 years. Death was due to a stroke of paralysis. He is survived by six children, Mrs. Eva Post, Mrs. Nine Adams and Miss Minnie of Roodhouse, John of Athens and Mrs. George Martin and Edward Cherry of California.

Savage.

George Savage, a former resident of Virginia and who was known in Jacksonville died last Monday in St. Paul's hospital (Minn.). He was 44 years of age and was engaged in the real estate business. He leaves his father, one sister, Mrs. Glen Bailey of Denver, and four brothers, Henry of Idaho, James of California and Edwin and Oscar of Virginia.

Fuson.

Mrs. Sarah Fuson, one of the oldest residents of Bluffs, died recently at her home in that place. She was living at Halpin's restaurant and had not been in ill health very long and death was sudden. She was a highly esteemed woman and a devout Christian. She leaves three children and several grandchildren.

Fink.

George W. Fink, aged 90 years, died recently at his home in Pleasant Plains. He was born in Muskingum county, Ohio, but had lived in Pleasant Plains 59 years. His wife died two years ago. He is survived by two sons, one daughter and one sister.

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FUNERALS

Bland.

The funeral of John Bland was held Friday afternoon from the undertaking parlors of J. G. Reynolds with Rev. Myron L. Pontius, pastor of the Central Christian church in charge. After a brief service the body was taken to East cemetery where interment was made. The bearers were: Joseph Benson, Robert Clements, Fred Dorr, Fred Gregory, Harry Norris and Ottaway McAllister.

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MATRIMONIAL

Loveless-Leach.

The marriage of Mr. Thad Loveless and Miss Letha Leach was solemnized Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of the bride near Carlinville, Rev. Ray Braeckell of this city officiating. The attendants were Miss Esther Leach and Charles Hohen, and the ceremony was witnessed by immediate relatives and friends of the young people. Music for the occasion was given by Miss Edna Bracewell of this city and Rev. Ray Bracewell sang "Thou art to Me" by Chadwick. The house was appropriately decorated for the occasion in white and pink and the ceremony was said beneath a beautiful floral arch. The bride is a daughter of Leonard Leach of Gillispie and is most favorably known in that community. She is related to the Leach families of Morgan county. The groom's family had been living in the west and he is a graduate of the Seattle, Washington High school. He now conducts a stock and fruit farm near Gillispie and the young people will make their home with his parents. The young people are visiting with relatives in this community for a few days.

Brech-Darling.

Royal C. Brech, a prosperous young farmer of the west part of Cass county and Miss Constance Darling, were married in the Shiloh Presbyterian church in the presence of a large party of friends and relatives. The bride recently resigned her position of school teacher to become Mrs. Brech. They will at once go to housekeeping on a farm not far from Virginia.

Milton-Drake.

She testified against him, he was indicted for murder on her testimony, at the trial she declared she had sworn falsely before and would tell the truth which caused the accused to be set free and then went still farther and married him; such are the facts regarding the wedding and previous history of Leonard F. Milton and Miss Ella Drake. Milton lives in Beardstown and Miss Drake was at one time a resident of Jacksonville; he is 34 and she 24. The murder and the accusation of Milton made a great sensation and great interest was manifested in the trial and tremendous astonishment and disappointment took place over the unusual ending. The murder was the one which took place on the houseboat on the Illinois river and a great deal of feeling existed at the time.

Shinnabar-Surratt.

James M. Shinnabar and Miss Pearl Surratt, both of Meredosia, went over to Mt. Sterling recently and were married by Police Magistrate Wallace and returned to their home to begin together the journey of life. Both are highly estimable young people.

ANOTHER NEW LOT OF SHEPHERD CHECK SUITS JUST RECEIVED AT HERMAN'S.

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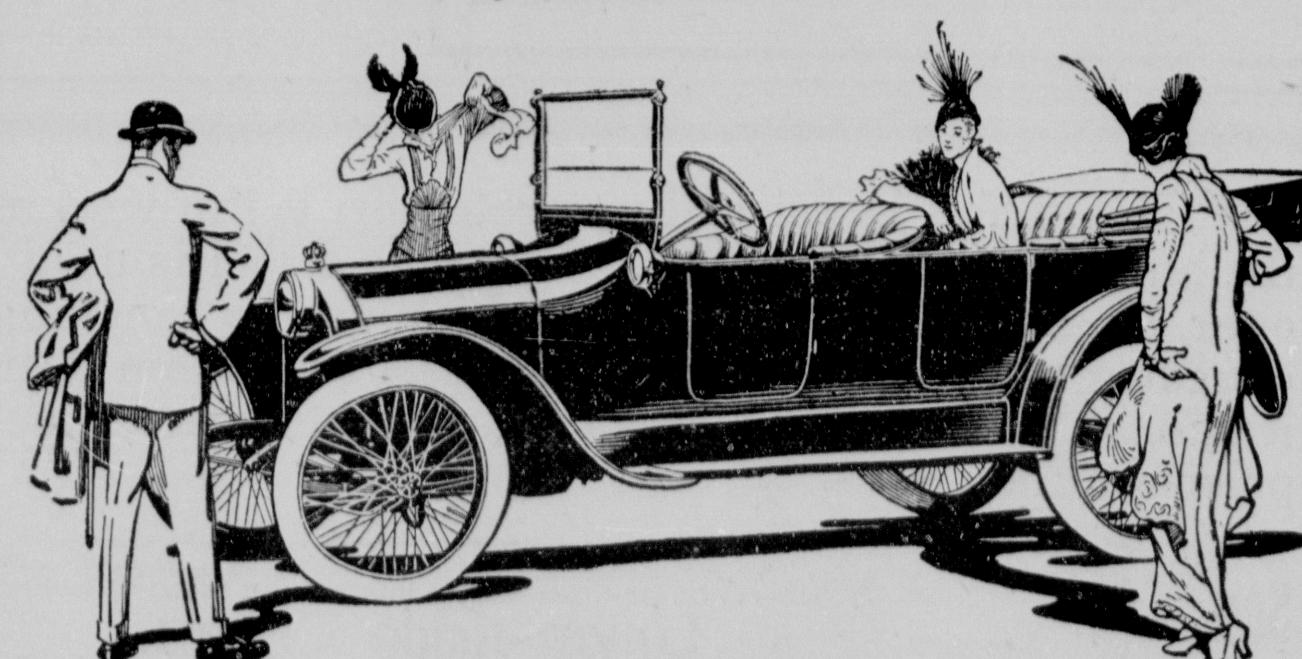
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GILMORE PREDICTS PROSPEROUS SEASON FOR FEDERAL LEAGUE

Goes to Kansas City to Watch Opening Game Today—Managers Claim Most of Teams Have Improved Greatly.

Chicago, April 9.—Predicting a prosperous season "the best so far" President James A. Gilmore left tonight for Kansas City, where tomorrow he will watch the opening game of the Federal League campaign. Reports received at the league headquarters here today were that fair weather and big crowds were expected at the openings at Chicago, where St. Louis plays; at Kansas City, whose opponent will be Pittsburg; at Baltimore where the team that won the pennant for Indianapolis will represent Newark and at Brooklyn where Buffalo opens the season.

Most of the Federal League teams their managers claim have improved greatly over last year. St. Louis especially. President Gilmore says has increased in strength, Manager Fielder Jones having gathered a squad of veterans including Chaley Deal, who was a factor in the Boston Nationals winning the world's championship. A strong infielf is the chief reliance of the Pittsburgh team but reports from Kansas City are not optimistic.

The Newark club's loss of Benny Kauff, the League's champion batter was recorded at headquarters as Brooklyn's gain and the addition of Jack Dalton, one of the Nationals' strong hitters last year, should help the offensive strength of Buffalo, it is said. In all departments, Manager Tinker claims to have helped the Chicago squad. In Jimmy Smith he says he has a shortstop whose excellence may result in the manager's adopting a utility role.

WEEK'S REPORTS ARE BEST NOTED FOR SOME TIME PAST

Sentiment is Bolstered by the Smart Uplift in Stock Market Prices—Idle Workmen are Less Numerous.

New York, April 9.—Bradstreet's tomorrow will say:

"This week's reports, trade and industrial, are the best noted for some time past, being in some respects the most favorable received since the spring of 1914. Sentiment is bolstered by the smart uplift in stock market prices; better weather has superinduced improvement in general lines or retail trade; foreign orders for machinery, tools, automobiles and numerous other manufactures make for capacity work in the enterprises thus benefited; operations on domestic account are steadily improving; idle workmen are less numerous; money is easy; weekly bank clearings are more encouraging; collections are a shade better in some centers and winter wheat crop conditions are good—as good, all things considered as a year ago at this date.

"The agricultural, as distinguished from the industrial south, still is depressed as regards current trade but other sections of the country including the east manifest signs of improvement though it must be conceded that better at the east is slow. At the soft coal mining regions there is some mention of improvement but operations are slow and in the lumber industry depression continues. Building has begun to improve but as yet this tendency is most manifest in the eastern half of the country. The arrival of growing weather has put a more favorable face upon crop reports. Winter wheat has been benefited west of the Mississippi by warmer weather, but needs moisture east of the river.

"The entire crop is late in starting.

"Better weather at the south has allowed of plowing and planting of cotton. Much land is going into sugar, rice, corn and potatoes in Louisiana, but despite the talk of reduced use of fertilizers, the feeling is growing that there will not be the wholesale reduction in cotton acre that was earlier claimed."

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BLOOMINGTON D. A. R.

LOOKING FOR HOME

Letitia Green Stevenson Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution of Bloomington, held a very interesting meeting recently. Mrs. H. M. Rollins, regent, was in charge, and the usual business was transacted, reports showing all departments to be in an excellent condition.

It was reported that plans were under way for the securing of a permanent meeting place for the chapter. The regent stated that of late a difficulty had arisen in obtaining homes for the holding of the meeting, as the chapter was growing so rapidly that space was too small to accommodate those who come, and she deemed it advisable to get a permanent place where the chapter could hold all the meetings of whatever nature they desired there.

A PLEASANT CALL.

Mr. and Mrs. D. K. McCarty of Litterberry had visitors from the city yesterday. It was an agreeable reunion of friends who met in neighboring camps in Yellowstone National Park a few years ago and had maintained a pleasant recollection of each other ever since. Mrs. Harriet MacGowan of Ridgefield, Illinois, was one of the far away campers, she and her husband conducting at the time a party through the far away wonderland and she and another friend who was there visited yesterday morning with Mr. and Mrs. McCarty most delightfully recalling scenes and incidents of a happy experience.

ILLEGAL KILLING OF MIGRATORY GAME

Department of Agriculture Will Continue to Prosecute Offenders.

Many of the press comments on the decision of the United States district court, rendered recently at Topeka, Kansas, holding that the Federal Migratory Bird Law is unconstitutional according to United States Department of Agriculture are erroneous and are apt to mislead the public concerning the real situation in this matter.

The Kansas decision like a former decision to the same effect in the eastern district of Arkansas, is limited in its operation solely to the district in which it was rendered. Neither decision settles or nullifies law, and the exact contrary has been held by the United States district court for South Dakota. The Arkansas case has been appealed to, and is now pending in the United States supreme court. The act of congress protecting migratory birds is effective until the supreme court finally decides the question of its constitutionality. In meantime it is incumbent on every law-abiding citizen to observe its provisions and the regulations. It is the duty of the department of agriculture to enforce this law and officials in charge will endeavor to do so as long as it is in force. Reports of violations will be carefully investigated and when sufficient evidence is secured they will be reported for prosecution. In this connection it should not be forgotten that an offender against this, as in case of other United States laws is subject to prosecution any time within three years from the date of the offence committed.

EUROPEAN WAR NOTES

Geneva, April 9.—via Paris, (5:30 p. m.)—The five American army officers who are attached to the German military forces as observers until recalled by cable on April 3rd, arrived at Berne today on their way home.

Geneva, Switzerland, April 9.—via Paris, (4:30 p. m.)—Twenty nine large motor boats armed with quick firing guns have arrived at Friederichafen, coming by rail from Stettin. They are to be used in patrolling Lake Constance and to defend the Zeppelin dirigible balloon works against attacks by French aviators from the French fortress at Belfort.

Geneva, Switzerland, via Paris, April 9.—(4:25 p. m.)—The German government today prohibits exports from Germany to Italy is stopping at the frontier stations all empty Italian freight cars bound homeward.

Passenger trains arriving in Switzerland today are crowded with German families.

The Hague, April 9.—via London.—The American minister, Dr. Henry Van Dyke will leave tomorrow for Luxembourg by way of Maestricht and Aachen. He will be accompanied by his son who will act as his secretary.

Dr. Van Dyke's visit to Luxembourg to which state as well as the Netherlands, he is accredited as American minister, is in connection with his official duties.

Vienna, via London, April 9.—(9:08 p. m.)—The following official communication was issued today:

"In the east Beskid mountains the situation generally is quiet. In the wooded mountains the enemy is prosecuting frontal attacks, storming without regard for life. High heaps of dead or wounded mark the battlefield which lies within effective range of our guns and machine guns. Yesterday we captured 1,600 un wounded prisoners.

"On the remainder of the front no particular events have taken place."

Basle, Switzerland, April 9.—via Paris, (3:35 p. m.)—British and French cruisers according to advices received here have taken from Italian mail steamers 2,300 bags of German mail addressed abroad and containing letters, postcards, money, checks and small packages. Bags coming from abroad intended for Germany will be treated in the same way and confiscated. This course on the part of the Allied countries it is understood is being made in response to Germany's submarine war against non-combatant merchant and passenger ships. British warships recently captured a Norwegian vessel containing confidential letters forwarded by Dr. Xon Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor to Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador to the United States.

Amsterdam, via London, April 9.—(9:51 p. m.)—A despatch received here from Berlin says that on April 1st, 1914, 808 prisoners of war were being held in Germany—10,175 officers and 802,633 men. The despatch gives the prisoners by nationality as follows:

French, 3,838 officers and 223,498 men; Russian, 5,149 officers and 504,210 men; Belgians 647 officers and 39,620 men; British, 520 officers and 20,307 men.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for member of the Board of Education of the Second Ward, subject to the will of the voters at the election held April 20, 1915.

L. H. Clampit.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for member of the board of education of the Second Ward, subject to the election to be held April 20, 1915.

Lew. H. Pratt.

HISTORIC SCENE AT CLOSING OF GREAT CIVIL WAR

Half Century Passed Since Lee Surrendered to Grant at Appomattox.

Fifty years ago yesterday two great Americans met at Appomattox courthouse, in Virginia, and recorded one of the final chapters in the great struggle between the north and the south. In American fashion, General Robert E. Lee and Gen. Ulysses S. Grant shook hands, discussed the important business of the occasion, and wrote the important documents which established the terms of surrender of the famished forces of the southern leader.

In every city, town and hamlet in America today, the half-century anniversary of this truly great event is being observed. The fifty long years have removed the principals in the negotiations, both beloved in the north and south, and have assuaged the bitterness of defeat and the pride of victory into a united feeling that the ending of the terrible conflict was magnificent.

Occasion Was Sunday.

The 9th of April, 1865, fell on a Sunday. General Lee went to the conference accompanied by but one officer, Col. Charles Marshall, his military secretary. Early on that morning he had received the report of General Gordon, in command of the advancing wing, that the situation was hopeless. "There is nothing left for me but to go and see Grant, and I would rather die a thousand deaths," Gen. Lee is reported to have said. Correspondence looking to surrender had been exchanged since the evening of the 7th between the two generals, and Lee had proposed a point of meeting on the old Richmond stage road between the two picket lines.

General Lee's note reached Grant as he was riding along the wagon road near Appomattox court house. The northern general at once replied that he would push on to the point of meeting. The message reached Lee while the latter was sitting by the roadside near Appomattox Courthouse. Issuing orders to observe a truce, he hastened to a little brick house to await Grant. He was offered more commodious quarters in the McLean house, and it was there that the historic meeting took place.

When Grant entered, the two great generals shook hands cordially for several minutes. Their first conversation was of their meeting in Mexico, when both were in the same service. The staff of Gen. Grant then entered, and formed a background for the picture.

Grant and Lee were different in appearance. Grant was the younger man by sixteen years, and looked stooped and less imposing than Lee, whose erect figure, with hair and beard silver white, gave him a martial appearance.

GENERALS DISCUSS TERMS.

The two generals discussed the terms of surrender, which were, in short, that the men were to be paroled and all arms to be delivered up as captured property. Lee nodded as Grant explained his terms and spoke of the benefit of peace. At the request of Gen. Lee, the terms were then written. As Grant wrote rapidly, he glanced at Gen. Lee's handsome sword, and added the words to his terms "This will not embrace sidearms of officers." General Lee was deeply touched when he read this addition. He finished reading, and stated that the cavalrymen and artillerymen of his command owned their own horses, and requested that they be allowed to retain them. Grant replied that he had not known this, and that he would instruct officers "to let all the men who claim to own a horse or a mule to take the animals home with them to work their farms."

While the terms and the letter of acceptance were being copied, General Grant introduced Lee to the officers present. The conference ended about 4 in the afternoon. General Lee, shaking hands with Grant, left the room with his aide. As his horse was being brought, Lee stood on the step and smote the palm of his left hand with his right fist, as he gazed toward the encampment of his suffering army. He had the sympathy of everyone present, and as he rode away, General Grant stepped down the porch, saluted him by raising his hat, and all of the Union officers did likewise. Lee saluted his hat respectfully, and rode off to break the news to the brave fellows he had so long commanded.

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Rippling Rhymes by Walt Mason

CRITICAL JUDGMENT

My head ached fierce while I was reading the latest work of Ophelia; and weary of such mental feeding, I said, "Such fiction is a

crime. His characters are merely spectres, who through the tiresome chapters run; his dukes and diplomats and rectors are sawdust dummies, every one. A book should mirror human action, and show the author's studied men, if it would give me satisfaction

—but this man wield's a trifling pen." One day when health again had found me, "I'll read that novel now," I said, for it, of all the books around me, was just the one I hadn't read. I found it then a four-time winner, a rippling yarn that hit the spot, and when they called me in to dinner, I answered, "Seat! I want it not! That man is capable of treason who'd leave a book like this to eat—the redhot novel of

the season, a book that simply can't be beat!"

Walt Mason

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PROBATE COURT NEWS.

In the matter of the estate of James A. Summers. Petition for letters of administration allowed. Bond fixed at \$1,200 and approved as filed. Letters to issue to Texa Summers.

In the matter of the estate of Margaret M. Smith. Petition for letters of administration allowed. Bond fixed at \$2,000 and approved as filed. Letters to issue to Henry J. Rodgers.

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TO DETERMINE RIGHTS OF ADOPTED CHILDREN.

Washington, April 9.—One of the most interesting cases now before the United States Supreme Court is that which involves the rights of adopted children. The legal status of adopted children in many states is involved in the court's decision, which is eagerly awaited. The test case now before the court is brought by the twin daughters of the late General John B. Hood, who seek to share in the estate of the late Geo. T. McGehee of Mississippi, their father's friend and their father by adoption.

The contest is over the inheritance of real estate in Alabama owned by McGehee. The twins rest their claim on several grounds, one being that under the contract of adoption in Louisiana they became the sole heirs, as if they were the natural children of McGehee's property no matter where situated. The Alabama federal courts, however, held that Alabama law determined the heirs of real estate in that state.

Attorneys for the twins, in their brief, argue that the federal courts have made a "mere scrap of paper" of the Louisiana adoption laws.

The twin daughters of the late General Hood are Miss Ida Richardson Hood and Odile Musson Hood Holland, now living in New York.

Boy or Girl? Great Question!



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ECONOMIC LOSSES FROM PREVENTABLE DISEASES

SAID TO BE ONE HALF BILLION PER ANNUM.

STATES ARE PAYING FOR DISEASE AMONG MEN AND WOMEN—SCHOOL TEACHERS SHOULD TEACH ESSENTIAL FACTS OF SANITARY SCIENCE.

(By G. M. Ives, M. D., St. Louis, Missouri).

In a report on national vitality, Professor Irving Fisher, estimates that the economic losses caused by preventable diseases for the entire country is one and one half millions per year. The Minnesota State Board of Health in a recent estimate shows the economic loss from death from typhoid fever in Minnesota in the last six years to be \$21,958,940 while the deaths from tuberculosis are six times as great and the loss three times as great as that from typhoid, making a total loss from two diseases \$88,542,260 for six years, or an annual loss of \$14,757,043.

MINNESOTA FIGURES.

These figures for Minnesota which were computed on a basis in which no human life is given an economic value greater than \$500, show the yearly loss to that state from deaths from two diseases, typhoid and tuberculosis amounts to approximately \$15,000,000. The total loss from all preventable diseases is certainly far in excess of this amount. The loss from preventable diseases in Illinois, because of its larger proportion, certainly greatly exceeds the loss in Minnesota.

WHAT STATE PAYS.

What is this state now paying for protection against preventable diseases? The Journal of the American Medical Association is authority for the statement that the appropriation in Illinois for the protection of fish and game for the current year amounts to \$151,600. Yet the appropriation for the protection of 5,638,591 men, women and children in the state was for 1914 only \$120,000, \$30,000 less than was appropriated for the protection of fish and game. Are the lives of the citizens of less value to Illinois than the preservation of its quail and bass?

Other arguments for increased financial support for measures to protect human health and lives seem to me to be unnecessary. It seems to me that there can be no doubt of justification for the present meager appropriations for public health work.

CITIZENS MUST ACT.

Notwithstanding the necessity of certain financial support, great good may be accomplished by the initiative of the individual citizen. If every citizen would cease to maintain any of the public nuisances that I have mentioned, if individuals would practice the principles of personal hygiene, if local public officers would apply available knowledge of sanitation, the necessity of laws and appropriations would be less pressing. It is from education then that we are to expect some, maybe the most satisfactory results.

Let us consider briefly an educational program. In the first place, the truths of modern science cannot be demonstrated to you satisfactorily in every instance. When your agricultural authorities tell you that rust and smut of grains are parasitic diseases, that tuberculosis is a germ disease and that it is transmissible, that the Babcock test indicates the percentage of fat in milk, most of you believe that they are in a position to know positively and you accept their statements.

Likewise there are men of learning whose opinions on subjects of human diseases are equally reliable. Their statements are opposed; their program for human betterment is attacked on every conceivable basis. As I have stated before you must look for guidance to your University, to your State Board of Health, and to your state department of education. They are your servants. Their only justification for existence is their ability to be of service to you.

EDUCATION NECESSARY.

There is much to be gained in an educational way by means of public addresses, the dissemination of literature, and the co-operation of the press. But I would place particular emphasis on the teaching, and practice of hygiene and sanitation in our public schools.

Before pupils can obtain the proper training in matters of hygiene teachers must be made acquainted with the subject, and the methods of presenting it should be suggested to them. State officers and local health officials should shoulder the responsibility of instructing all public school teachers in the elements and most essential facts of sanitary science.

KERNELS FROM KORN BELTER
(By Sol F. Quizer.)

Many a farmer thinks he can't afford power to help with the washing when the little stream in the pasture is fairly asking to be harnessed to the job.

The mother of small boys is never surprised at where she finds things. A Rockwood vase looks to a boy like a good place for fishhooks. Furrows are better than trenches. Nearer to living's sweet core. The green fields of peace yield wiser increase.

Than the blood red fields of war.

SERVICE OF MEALS ACCOUNTED IMPORTANT HOUSEHOLD ITEM

Problem Should be Worked Out How to Serve Meal With Least Expenditure of Time and Attention—Some Hints From I. of U. Department.

(By Nina E. Crigler, and Cora E. Gray, Household Science Department, University of Illinois.)

Quite as important, not only to the pleasure of the meal but to the assimilation of the food, is attractiveness in the setting of the table and in the service of the meal. In a general way, these things are familiar to every woman but both deserve far more attention than they generally receive. It is well worth while for any woman to work out how the service of meals can be accomplished correctly and satisfactorily with the least expenditure of time and attention under the conditions of her particular home. The manner of service is determined by the occasion, the number of people to be served, and the availability of servants. It may be that the preparation of a meal, in addition to other duties leaves no energy for elaborate service, but in any case suitability of dishes and beauty of arrangement are possible. A very ordinary meal is extremely attractive if the table is well set, each dish is in a suitable dish and the service is well organized, correct, simple, convenient and adapted to that particular meal.

Equipment for Table.

There is on the market today a variety of pads for the protection of polished tables. Asbestos ones, made to fit the table, are satisfactory but somewhat expensive. An inexpensive kind, made of two thicknesses of oilcloth faced together serves as an efficient protector even for highly polished tables. The silence cloth is used to insure quiet service and to make the linen cloth lie smooth. It may be a quilted pad or heavy cotton flannel, or white felt bought by the yard and bound. Unless the table is highly polished, the silence cloth is sufficient protection. The table cloth should be of good quality, laundered without starch, carefully folded, and of sufficient size to hang over the ends and sides of the table about ten inches. Oblong carving cloths may be used under the meat platter to protect the table cloth. Doilies should fit the trays. Plain ones are best because of the necessity of constant laundering. Napkins for formal dinners usually match the cloth and are twenty-four inches square; luncheon napkins may be less than half that size.

In very formal service, unusual floral decorations with elaborate china and silver may be used. High bouquets obstruct the view and make conversation difficult, but a low vase of flowers, gracefully arranged, adds much to the attractiveness of the tables. Place cards may be the plain white ones sold as "calling cards," or they may be elaborately hand-decorated. The purpose of either is to avoid the awkwardness of attempting to seat several people at once and the necessity of any one person's carrying the seating plan in mind. Finger bowls of glass or metal are used whenever needed, as, for instance, after a fruit course. The bowl is set on a small plate with a paper or liner doily between. Small glass plates to match the finger bowls are attractive. Individual salt and pepper shakers may be used or several sets may be arranged convenient for two or more people.

SIDE TABLE ESSENTIAL.

A small side table, or serving table with a shelf beneath, is a great help in service. It holds the extra silver, a reserve supply of butter, ice water, serving spoons, the waitress' tray, the plate and napkin or scrap-er for crumbing the table, and, in formal service, all relishes, plates or foils, and any additional supplies. The purpose of the side table is to facilitate the service by saving the waitress extra trips to the kitchen or pantry. The side board serves a similar purpose but usually is reserved for the silver and possibly plates of fancy cakes, leaving the serving tables for more utilitarian purposes.

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AND LEGISLATION—DIFFERENT STAGES ARE TREATED—FINAL STAGE
OF DEVELOPMENT UNDER LORD
MANSFIELD.

(By C. G. Vernier, Professor of
Law, University of Illinois.)

In a previous article the origin of the chief forms of negotiable paper, viz., the bill of exchange, the promissory note, the bank notes and the check, was traced. No intelligent understanding of the rules governing these forms of commercial paper is possible without some slight knowledge of the part played by the "law merchant" in their derivation and development. All of our law is said to be based on custom, as modified by judicial decisions and legislation. In respect to some branches of our law the place of custom in its formation has doubtless been unduly emphasized. But custom is, in a peculiar sense, the basis of our law of commercial paper.

This mercantile law based on custom has been, and still is, known as the new merchant. In its origin the law merchant was a branch of the law distinct from the common law. It was not enforced in the common law courts and did not exist for all the people as it does today. It was enforced in special courts and existed only for the benefit of the mercantile class.

First Period.

There are three rather distinct periods in its development. The first period begins at some unknown date, since we do not know the exact date when negotiable instruments were introduced into England, and extends to the year 1606, when Coke was appointed Lord Chief Justice of England.

During this period the greater portion of English foreign trade, as well as that of all Europe, was conducted in sea ports and great fairs held at fixed times and places. At these fairs there were special courts to administer justice to the merchants who congregated there. These courts are referred to in the old books as the "courts populaire" or Courts of "phy-pouler." These terms were derived from Normal French words meaning "dusty fleet," signifying that justice was administered as quickly as the dust fell from the feet. There was apparently no cause to complain of the laws' delay in these courts.

Controversies between merchants were heard in an informal manner and settled on the spot. There were no law reporters and if regular reports were kept, few have been preserved or discovered. However, a few records have been unearthed by the Selden Society, so that we know the nature of the proceedings. Similar courts existed in the great sea-ports. The most interesting feature of these courts was that they heard controversies between merchants only. The law administered was wholly based on mercantile custom. This was not the special custom of England but the universal custom of merchants of all Europe.

To sum up, this period was characterized by three features: first, elaborate special courts; second, the courts were open to merchants only; third, the law administered was based on a custom existing over all of Europe and not special to England.

Second Period.

The second stage of development began in 1606 and extended to 1756 when Lord Mansfield became Chief Justice. In this period the special courts died out, and the law was administered by the ordinary King's courts, which administered the common law. However, it was still administered not as common law, but as custom. It was still necessary that the plaintiff and defendant or at least one of them belong to the mercantile class. In every action it was necessary to plead formally that defendant became liable "according to the usage and custom of merchants." Old cases exist in which the defendant admitted that he signed the instrument, but was a gentleman, i.e., a man of leisure, and not a merchant. Such a plea was successful, strange as it may seem today, until in 1692 the Court of Appeal denied such a plea, saying, "If gentlemen accept bills, they ought to pay them." This was obviously sound common sense, but a marked innovation upon mercantile custom. The law still being based almost wholly on custom, the court generally left the matter to a jury without instructing it as to the law. As a result the few cases reported rarely stated any rule for future guidance.

Final Stage.

The final stage of development began with the accession of Lord Mansfield to the position of Chief Justice. By his efforts extending over thirty years, mercantile customs were reduced to a system of rules and made an integral part of the common law. General principles were formulated, so that the jury did not decide each case upon their understanding for mercantile custom. Justice Buller has very properly called Lord Mansfield, "the father of our commercial law." From this time on, a great body of fundamental principles and detailed rules was rapidly developed, as an integral part of the English common

law. Moreover the development was along distinctively English lines, so that today, the law of Negotiable Instruments in England and America is quite different in many respects from that of continental Europe. Hence from a body of law based on a world wide custom, but open to merchants only and administered in special courts we have derived today, law open to all the people, administered in the ordinary courts, but differing in many respects from the commercial law of other civilized nations.

In a subsequent article will be described the tendency, now become almost universal to reduce this particular branch of the law to statutory form.

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Seaman.

Seattle, Wash., April 9.—It was just about a year ago that Vilhjalmur Stefanson, the daring Arctic explorer, set forth from Martin Point on the ice with two sailors. He has not been heard from since, and many authorities of Arctic travel declare he must have perished. Another hunt for the lost explorer is under way. Capt. Louis Lane of Seattle, a daring navigator, having sailed from here last week in his good ship, the Polar Bear. He will stake his life and the lives of his little crew in a quick summer dash among the icebergs to the barrens of Banksland.

With 100 rounds of ammunition and rations for sixty days, Stefanson and two companions of the Canadian Arctic expedition went out on the ice from Martin Point to the east of Point Barrow on April 7, 1914. They had with them a piece of canvas that could have been fashioned into a boat. Stefanson announced on his departure that he would return to shore in 15 days or push on to Banksland.

The day after the trio vanished, a great storm descended in furious blasts. The ice on which Stefanson and his men were caught drifted far out to sea. Since then the fate of the men has been one of the many mysteries of the Arctic wastes.

Stefanson believed he could make Banksland in 15 days. He said that if he went there, he would erect a beacon at a point known as Nelson Head, but there was no sign of a beacon or any other evidence of Stefanson having reached the place.

There is still a chance that the daring explorer used his canvas to good advantage and has managed to find crude fare to keep life in his body during the past year is the hope, if not the belief, of the relief party that is now ploughing northward in the Polar Bear. Lane and his crew will return to Seattle in October and if he finds no sign of Stefanson it will mean that the daring adventurer and his two companions perished.

Captain Lane has with him as chief mate H. Gonzales of San Francisco, a famous whaler, and his second mate is Henry Slatte, another whaler and Arctic navigator. Altogether the little power schooner has twelve men aboard on the journey of rescue, adventure and discovery. They will cruise for whales, hunt and kill walrus, will try to capture polar bears alive for zoos, and will take moving pictures of the white Eskimos and other odd peoples and places of the Arctic.

Stefanson, the explorer, who disappeared from all communication with the world a year ago today, is only 35 years old. He was born at Arnes, Manitoba and studied at the University of North Dakota, State University of Iowa, and Harvard University. While at Harvard he made an archaeological trip to Iceland, and in 1906 began an 18-month expedition to the Eskimos of the Mackenzie delta for Harvard and Toronto University. His next expedition northward occupied 53 months, under the auspices of the Canadian Government and the New York Museum of Natural History. From 1909 to 1912, he spent three winters in the Arctic, and during this long journey he added to the map of Canada many new features, including Horton River, some 500 miles long. He made some remarkable discoveries among the Eskimos that has led to the theory that point to their descent from the lost Scandinavian colony of Greenland, which disappeared in the 15th or 16th century.

Stefanson set out on the present expedition, which it is generally believed has ended disastrously to him, in 1913, under the auspices of the Canadian Government. During the past year a close watch has been maintained for any signs that would lead to the belief that he had survived. Last summer several rescue expeditions were sent out to search for a trace of the daring young explorer, but they all failed to solve the mystery.

SPEAKS AT ALEXANDER.

Miss Muir, a lately returned missionary from China, addressed the ladies of the Alexander M. E. church Friday afternoon. The talk was most interesting to every one. There was a good crowd present.

John Weigand and J. T. Little of Alexander are spending several days in Jacksonville.

OLD BURYING GROUNDS OF BLACK HAWK'S TRIBE FOUND

Farmer Unearths Skeleton and
Many Relics at Farm Near Sears,
Illinois.

What is believed to be the old burying grounds of Black Hawk's tribe, has been uncovered on the farm of Benjamin Peterson, just south of the power house at Sears, Ill. A few days ago a skeleton was dug up. Yesterday Mr. Peterson turned up another skeleton which may be that of a red-skin warrior. Same was nearly complete, the skull, lower jaw, breast, hips, thigh and shin bones being intact. The remains were only buried at a depth of 12 inches, and most of the relics he has found so far were not buried deeper than 14 inches.

The Peterson farm is located at the old council grounds of the Black Hawk tribe and the burial grounds apparently were laid out near Rock river. Recently Peterson uncovered a skeleton which was nearly complete. From time to time for several years Mr. Peterson has uncovered relics, and at the present time is the possessor of quite a collection.

One of the most interesting trinkets he has in his possession is a silver cross, possibly given to the Indians by the early white settlers.

The cross contains some inscription which cannot be made out. In addition he has numerous finger, wrist and neck rings, most of them being constructed of copper and brass, with knives, tomahawks, arrow heads and other relics. Saturday a knife was found with the remains of a warrior, but the instrument was so rusted and decomposed that it crumbled when Mr. Peterson touched it.

These late finds were made when Mr. Peterson began to dig an onion patch a short distance from the river. In this plot he is turning all of the earth over a depth of one and one-half feet and will probably uncover more relics before the work is completed. It was at first thought that some of the trinkets may have belonged to the early Jesuits, but as all the skulls recovered so far resemble those of Indians it is probable that they were given to the redskins by the whites.

OBITUARY.

The following obituary of John R. Spires was published in Friday's Waverly Journal:

"John R. Spires was born Oct. 13, 1835, near Franklin, and departed this life April 2, 1915, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Walls five miles south of Waverly, being 79 years, 5 months and 29 days of age.

"On the fourth Sunday in September, 1857, he united with the Primitive Baptist church on the Mauvallette, (called Saugus Springs church), until 1867, at which time he moved to his farm in the southwest corner of Sangamon county, and then transferred his membership to the Head of Apple Creek church where he remained a faithful, humble and devoted member until death. He was a member of the Primitive Baptist church fifty-seven years and six months, having been ordained as deacon of said church in 1868 and served as clerk of the Concord association about forty years.

"On June 9, 1859, he was united in marriage to Sarah A. Weller of Macoupin county, and to this union were born four children, one son and three daughters. His son, Thomas J., preceded him in death several years ago; also his wife preceded him in death only fifty-seven days.

"Mr. Spires is survived by three daughters: Mrs. C. W. Taylor and Mrs. William Wells of Waverly and C. A. Sinclair of Litchfield; nine grandchildren, two great grandchildren, one brother, Harvey Spires of Franklin, besides a host of other relatives and friends.

"Mr. Spires lived in Talkington township, Sangamon county, from the spring of 1867 until the fall of 1907, when he moved to Waverly. During the forty years he lived on his farm he was a useful citizen in many ways. He taught school for twenty years and never applied for the position. He was elected supervisor of his township and re-elected until he served four years. He served as assessor for seven years, township treasurer for a number of years and justice of the peace.

"Having known Mr. Spires for thirty-four years, will say to his grandchildren just try to make as good and as useful a citizen as he was.

"In his death the church has lost a fine and devoted member, although during his last days he did not get to meet with the church as often as he wished but remained firm in the faith of the primitive Baptist church. He was beloved by his neighbors and all who knew him; thus we lose an indulgent father, a good citizen and a faithful Christian gentleman.

"Funeral services were conducted at the Primitive Baptist church in Waverly Monday, April 5, at 11 a.m., by Elder G. W. Murray of Winchester, in the presence of a large company of friends and relatives, preaching from the text 'If a man die shall he live again?'

REVIVAL AT BROOKLYN.

The special music Friday evening at the Brooklyn church revival was furnished by Mrs. W. P. Duncan and Miss Mary Lindsey. They sang "Rock of Ages" and "Take Time to Think". Rev. John Beadle preached from the text Proverbs 29:1 and took for his subject "God's Alarm Clock or That for Which There is No Remedy." The subject for the sermon this evening will be "The Satisfied Life."

Miss Catherine Kaiser of Alexander was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

NEW BOOKS AT THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Social Problems.

Bacon—*Beauty for Ashes*. "This is the story of how a woman who was busily occupied with her own family life and social circle, stumbled upon the fact that in small cities and towns there are to be found ugly and degrading slums which most people suppose exist only in large and crowded cities. It told how she, one of the sheltered women, discovered in her own small city conditions that clamored for betterment; and how she with the aid of earnest women and men brought about that betterment, so that today her state, Indiana, is a model in its housing laws for all other states."

Croly—*Progressive Democracy*. "A thorough, detailed analysis of the evolution and principles of American democracy. It is an attempt to answer the questions whether any substitute is needed for the traditional system and whether the recent progressive movement offers any prospect of meeting the requirements. Both these questions, the author writing as a progressive, answers affirmatively with entire candor and without prejudice."

Education.

Bailey—*For the Story Teller*. "A working text-book in the art and practice of story telling."

Fisher—*Mothers and Children*. "By the author of *A Montessori Mother*."

Curtis—*Education Through Play*. "Believes that the play problem of the school children is the chief problem of our cities."

History and Travel.

Dickinson—*Appearances*. "There is a graceful blending of travel pictures, the reflections and meditations of an experienced traveler and much suggestive criticism."

Romantic Fiction.

Bazin—*Those of His Own Household*. "The story of a well to do Breton family, in which the clash of personalities and strong wills has caused the separation of husband and wife. Their daughter a particularly charming girl figure, brings them together again after years of loneliness."

Maniates—*Amarilly of Clothes Line Alley*. "Good fun."

Poole—*The Harbor*. "An unusually strong story of the making of a man and of the New York harbor as it appeared to a little boy who lived beside it, hating and fearing, but fascinated—to the youth understanding only its sinister force, to the man who comes to see its power and glory as well as the seething labor and social problems."

ILLINOIS NEWS NOTES.

Brokers Are Sued.

Stockholders of the Adair bank, which failed last summer, have brought suit against a firm of brokers in Chicago through which Walter Sperling, the cashier, who lost the funds of the bank in speculation on the board of trade, placed his orders. Sperling lost \$90,000 of the bank's funds and the stockholders made the loss good.

INCREASE IN ELEVATORS.

At the Illinois Farmers' Grain Dealers' association met in Bloomington in February there were 303 organizations in the state having 360 elevators. Since that time twelve new organizations have been formed, says Secretary A. N. Steinhardt, and many other communities have been writing about organization. The largest organization in the state is at Plainfield, in Will county. That company has seven elevators and is still growing.

Robbers leaped from darkness as Conley was passing. One of them threw him down, while the other two searched him. Conley's tie was taken off and he was bound, left lying on the highway, as the robbers fled. Conley managed to wiggle loose from the tie which held him and hurried to the police headquarters.

H. S. Meet April 30.—The high school track meet of the Illinois Valley High School Athletic association will be held on the fair grounds at Griggsville on Friday, April 30. Nine schools will participate.

HERBERT MAKING GOOD.

Jack Herbert, former Comie and now manager of the Cairo club of the Kitty league, has had his players in training since Monday. He states that his men are getting in shape and show up good. Herbert won the Kitty league championship last season and he hopes to repeat this year. He played in Jacksonville with the Northern league.

POULTRY FANCERS MEET IN GREENFIELD

Last evening the Greene county Poultry association met in Greenfield with a good attendance. After the formal program the members enjoyed a fine banquet. The program which included D. T. Heinrich of this city was as follows:

Invocation—Rev. W. G. Lloyd.

Song—Harmony Four.

Violin solo—Miss Bernice Holenback.

Reading—Miss Irene Bennett.

White Hall.

Vocal solo—Miss Ethel Williams.

of Carrollton.

Poultry and the Show Room—

Judge D. T. Heinrich, Jacksonville.

Song—Hill's Mixed Quartette.

(Waistling solo—Miss Alice Shocketon, Springfield.

Violin solo—Mrs. W. B. Strang.

Roodhouse.

Reading—Miss Thelma Chapman.

Carrollton.

Piano solo—Mrs. Laura Pinkerton.

White Hall.

Reading—Miss Lena Gibson.

Violin solo—E. M. Middleton.

Song—Harmony Four.

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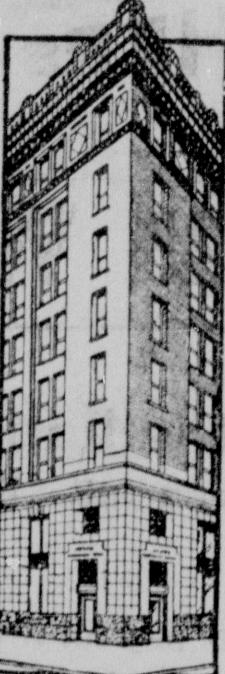
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Rolled oats, 5 lbs. best .25c

Cal peaches, best, lb. .11c

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3 large cans tomatoes .25c

Peas, per can .7 1/2c

1 pkg. raisins, fine .11c

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CAPT. ED. HARLAN, NOTED
SOLDIER, DEAD AT MARSHALL

Captain Edward Harlan, 77 years old, prominent in Illinois public life for many years, known to Illinois law-makers and officials for a generation and who served through the civil war as an officer under General Grant, died suddenly at his home in Marshall, Ill.

When Captain Harlan retired from public life five years ago he serving as doorkeeper of the house of representatives, a place which he had held for several terms. He also served one term as sergeant-at-arms of the house, and represented the district in which he is located as state senator in 1870.

In 1894 he was the Republican candidate for congressman from his district, opposing Mr. Landis, of Mt. Carmel, but was defeated.

Captain Harlan had one of the longest and most honorable civil war records of any man in Illinois. As captain under Grant in the Twenty-first Illinois volunteers, he served through the war, giving up his commission five years after he had taken it. He was wounded twice during the course of the war.

When the G. A. R. was organized he became prominent in its affairs and had been department commander in the organization. During the administration of Governor John P. Altgeld he was appointed commissioner of the Soldiers' Orphans' home at Normal, and served through the Altgeld administration in that position.

Bicycles. Finest line ever brought to this city at Gay's Reliable Hardware.

RITCHIE OUTBOXES GRIFFITH. Pittsburgh, April 9.—Willie Ritchie, former light-weight champion outboxed Johnny Griffith of Akron in a six round bout here tonight. Ritchie was the aggressor throughout.

SPECIAL SALE TODAY ON PATERN HATS. MRS. O'NEIL, E. STATE STREET.

GROWS SERIOUSLY ILL. Mrs. Emaline Rayborn, mother of H. S. Rayborn of this city, is very ill at her home in Concord. Mrs. Rayborn has been confined to her bed for several months but her condition the past few days has grown more serious.

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Social Activities

South Side Circle Meets
With Mrs. E. C. Carpenter.

The South Side Circle met Friday afternoon with Mrs. E. C. Carpenter of Hardin avenue. The members of the Pleasant Hour club were also guests and were cordially received by the hostess whose address of welcome found a hearty response from Mrs. Byron Gray. Mrs. Carpenter was the leader of the meeting who spoke on the subject, "Musical compositions of the present day." One of her young pupils, John Dokus Morris played several selections from Jessie Daynor's book for beginners, illustrated points in her address.

Joyce Carpenter and John Morris gave a vocal duet and Joyce Carpenter gave two violin selections. Mrs. Charles Rafferty read a paper on "My ideals of the present day." Mrs. Julian Hall sang six numbers from modern composers.

One of the interesting features of the afternoon's program was the playing of Claud Rhyners, a pupil at the State School for the Blind. He played the "B minor Scherzo" from Chopin and his playing proved popular to the members, who demanded several encores. He also explained the Braille system. The young man has a perfect ear for pitch and he gave some forceful demonstrations of his ability.

After the program refreshments were served the ice cream being moulded in the shape of musical instruments and flowers. Mrs. Treadway of New York City and Mrs. Ray Berry of Roodhouse were among the out of town guests present. The meeting was one of the most enjoyable of the year.

"Grandma" Alma Passes
Her 97th Birthday.

"Grandma" Alma of Bluff City celebrated her 97th birthday at her home in Bluff City this week. She resides with her son and is as spry as a woman of fifty, doing her own work and attending to her own business affairs.

She was born April 7, 1818 in England and came to this country in 1840, residing first in New Jersey. She came west in 1857 and settled in Adams county. Her husband died in 1864 and three years later she moved her family to Scottsboro where she has since resided. She was the mother of ten children, only three surviving.

Those who were present at the celebration were Mrs. R. D. Omer and son of Chapin; James Methingham and Mrs. Anson Castle and son Clifford of Bluff City; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Methingham of Bowen; Mr. and Mrs. William Methingham and son, William Methingham, Sr., John Methingham and daughter, Mrs. Eliza Hamilton and daughter, all of Camp Point.

Congregational Brotherhood
in "Athletic Evening."

A paper by H. H. Bancroft on baseball and a talk by President C.

MR. DAVIES WILL SPEAK ON
IMPORTANT SOCIAL PROBLEMS

Child Labor Legislation, Women in
Industry, Diseases of Industry and
Accident Prevention. Will be
Discussed Today at Library.

Important social questions will be discussed this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Jacksonville Public Library, when Edgar T. Davies, former chief factory inspector for Illinois, will speak on child labor legislation, women in industry, diseases in industry and accident prevention. Mr. Davies will discuss the place of Illinois in the path of social advancement, will call attention to defects and shortcomings and will point out ways in which Illinois women may help in solution of these vexing problems. Mrs. A. L. Adams, chairman of the civic committee and Mrs. Harrison W. King, chairman of the educational committee of the club, have arrangements in charge for the meeting. Club gatherings have been held heretofore at Academy hall and the new place of meeting is therefore emphasized.

A considerable part of Mr. Davies' talk will have to do with child labor, measures for the restriction of which have lately been incorporated in House Bill No. 104, better known as the new child labor law. Mrs. Adams when in Springfield last week to testify before the committee which had under consideration the child-labor and the eight-hour-for-women law, was impressed by the testimony offered among others by Miss Davis of the Chicago public schools.

The principal places where boys and girls between the ages of 14 and 16 are employed are at the box factories, in department stores as cash girls and boys, in engraving plants, knitting mills, laundries, book binderies, novelty shops, press clipping bureaus, and the like." Miss Davis said, as she started in on an arraignment of child labor.

"The work of these children requires no education and gives them scarcely any opportunity to learn a trade.

"When they get old enough to feel ashamed of doing a boy's or a girl's work they start out to look for other jobs and invariably they find there is no place for the unskilled, uneducated young man and woman. Many of these boys work as messenger boys with all the attendant temptations.

"Employers tell me they always specify that a boy shall not have

H. Rammelkamp on the place of athletics in college education brought out interesting facts and opinions last evening to the profit of Congregational brotherhood members, assembled for their April meeting in the church parlors. A supper was served at 6:30 o'clock under direction of Frank T. Irving, A. D. Fairbank and Lee S. Doane, chairman. "Our National Pastime" by Mr. Bancroft treated the game historically in general and made especial reference to baseball in Jacksonville. Mr. Rammelkamp referred to the criticism often uttered against athletic sports—that they detract from study unduly. Abuses he admitted, but good, he insisted, much exceeds the bad. He deemed accounts of accidents suffered in football grossly exaggerated and discussed athletics with direct relation to disciplinary value.

Social Club of
Illinois College.

The regular gathering of the Social club of Illinois College was held Friday night at Academy hall. It was a masquerade party and dancing was the principal amusement of the evening. "Going to the Fair" was a pleasure and the sell-s were original and good. The public auction also added merriment to the occasion and in the guessing contest, first prize, a box of candy, was won by Royal Davis. Light refreshments were served.

Surprise Party for
Hazel Louise Fortado.

Miss Mayme Fortado of 611 Myrtle street, gave a surprise party Friday afternoon for Miss Hazel Fortado in honor of her eighth birthday. About thirty of the young lady's friends were present. Games were played during the afternoon and in the contests held Louis Douglas won first prize. Several readings were given by Miss Helen DeSilva. Delicious refreshments were served. The afternoon was a most enjoyable one for all.

Mound Women's Country
Club Holds Meeting.

The Mound Women's Country club met Friday afternoon with Mrs. J. H. Caldwell on West Walnut street. The topic for discussion was "Our Food Producing Trees, Nuts and their uses." Routine business was transacted and after a discussion of the topic, Mrs. T. O. Graves read a very interesting paper on "Early Jacksonville." Two new members were added to the club, Mrs. George Gilbert and Miss Amanda Pfleil, which makes the total 35 and bids fair to reach the fifty mark by fall. Before adjournment was taken light refreshments were served.

Illinois College Dance.

Sixty students and friends of Illinois' college enjoyed a dance last evening in the gymnasium at which was carried out a pleasant program of sixteen regular and four special dances. The event was in charge of the regular social committee.

PAPER CONCERN'S TREATMENT OF
BRITISH PRISONERS IN GERMANY

LONDON, April 10.—(2:55 a. m.) A white paper concerning the treatment of British prisoners in Germany has been issued here. It consists of a series of letters and documents and correspondence between the British government and Walter Hines Page, the American ambassador here.

The correspondence covers seven months and fills 87 pages of the "white paper." It purports to show that Germany systematically withheld information regarding the condition of British prisoners and even declined to permit an American diplomatic representative to carry out an examination of the war prisoners in Germany in a manner similar to that permitted by Great Britain.

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Independent inquiry it was said had convinced the governor that the project was not wholly feasible. He is expected to make known his views in a formal statement after reviewing a final report by those who have been investigating the plan. This report, it was said, tonight would be submitted to the governor within a few days.

Fresh vegetables. Douglas Grocery.

ALLAN DEFEATS ADAMS. Bloomington, Ill., April 9.—William Allan, of the state Normal University at Normal, tonight defeated Wade Adams, of the Macomb Normal, in the oratorical contest to select a contestant for the inter-state normal oratorical contest to be held at LaCrosse, Wis., April 30th.

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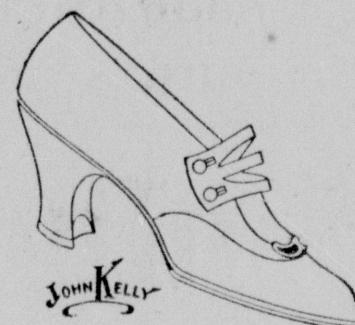
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APPOMATTOX DAY CELEBRATED BY G. A. R. AND RELIEF CORPS

Appropriate Exercises Were Held in Hall on West Morgan Street—Address by Dr. A. B. Morey.

The fiftieth anniversary of the surrender of General Lee to General Grant at Appomattox, West Virginia, was Friday. In accordance with a wish expressed by the National headquarters of the G. A. R. the local Matt Starr Post and the Woman's Relief Corps joined in celebration of the occasion in their hall on West Morgan street last evening. There was a large gathering of old soldiers and members of the corps and their friends and Comrade J. W. Melton acted as chairman of the evening.

Music was furnished by a quartet composed of Thomas Rapp, Asa and Marcus Robinson and Albert Metcalf. Capt. Wright sang "Thinking Tonight". The principal address of the evening was by Dr. A. B. Morey, who was a member of the Christian commission during the war. The program was interesting throughout and at its close light refreshments were served.

The program follows:

Invocation—Rev. Dr. F. M. Rule. Song—Male quartette.

Recitation—Com. J. H. Rayhill.

Address—Rev. Dr. A. B. Morey.

Song—Miss Alma Armstrong.

Reading—Mrs. Pearl Ebrey.

Song—Male quartette.

Song—Com. Capt. J. H. Wright.

Poem, "Grant"—Maj. C. E. McDowell.

Song—Male quartette.

Trinity Guild market and parcel post, aprons, utility articles and book sale Saturday, April 10th. 200 West State street.

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Ida Stevenson Smith to James Whalen, warranty deed, part lot 6, block 20, city addition to Jacksonville. \$1.

Annie R. Daniels to Melissa D. Ellis, warranty deed, W 1/2 lot 3, Lambert's addition to Jacksonville. \$1.

James Whalen to Ida S. Smith, warranty deed, part lots 44 and 45, block 20, John Wyatt's addition to Franklin. \$1.

James L. McCarty to Mary J. Self, deed, part lots 16 and 17 and lot 18 in Stevenson and Retter's addition to Jacksonville. \$3,900.

FRESH BULK OLIVES. Douglas Grocery.

FAMILY HORSE DIES.

S. W. Black has lost his old family horse, which has served so faithfully for the past years. The horse died sometime during Thursday night and its owner feels the loss keenly.

A NEW LOT OF SUITS, COATS AND MILLINERY RECEIVED THIS MORNING AT HERMAN'S.

G. L. Hall of New York was in Jacksonville on business yesterday.

SHIPERS PRESENT WITNESSES IN HEARING OF RATE CASE

CHICAGO, April 9.—Shippers who object to the proposed increase in freight rates asked by the forty-one western railroad systems, today presented witnesses to W. M. Daniels, inter-state commerce commissioner, in the hearing of the western freight rate case. The testimony concerned freight rates on broom corn. The witnesses were dealers in broom corn, manufacturers of brooms and statisticians and testimony was largely in support of the contention that the present rates should not be disturbed on the argument that the railways' request for an increased rate is based on too high a valuation of the product and too low a tonnage per carload hauled.

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CREWS OF SEALERS MUTINY.

St. Johns, N. F., April 9.—A mutiny of part of the crews of the sealing steamers Terra Nova and Viking were reported by the captains of those ships in wireless messages to the owners today. Eighty-seven men of the Terra Nova and seventy on board the Viking are declared to have struck as a result of the ship's lack of success in capturing seals. The vessels are now in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

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EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETS.

A meeting of the executive board of the Federation of Woman's clubs for the 20th district held a meeting at the home of Mrs. J. K. C. Pierson, Friday morning at 11 o'clock. At 1 o'clock the ladies adjourned to the Peacock Inn, where dinner was served. After re-assembling at the Pierson home reports were heard and arrangements were made for the district meeting which will be held May 11-12 in Pittsfield. The ladies then, on invitation of Pres. J. R. Harker, visited the art exhibition at the Woman's college.

Among those present were Mrs. L. H. Hirschheimer and Mrs. Edgar Glandon of Pittsfield; Mrs. C. E. Swoot and Mrs. James Green of Petersburg; Mrs. Ada Glenn, Ashland, president of the district federation; Mrs. Henry Hunt, Virginia; Mrs. A. L. Adams and Mrs. J. K. C. Pierson, Jacksonville.

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ELLIOTT STATE BANK.

All deposits made in the savings department during the first ten days of April will draw interest from the first of the month.

AUTOPSY WAS HELD OVER BODY OF ANNA TRIMMER

Physicians of Beardstown Examine Remains of Woman Who Was Found in the Illinois River.

Was Anna Trimmer, the woman who was found in the Illinois River at Beardstown last October and for whom two men were held for her murder, drowned or was she killed and her body thrown into the river?

That was the question Drs. T. J. Schaefer and M. J. Palmer of Beardstown tried to determine at an autopsy over the body at Summum, Ill., where the remains had been buried. The body was found to be in a perfect state of preservation and the lungs were thoroughly examined. The result of the autopsy is being kept a secret, it is said, by the state's attorney.

At the March term of the circuit court in Cass county two men were tried for the murder of the woman, but the state's case suddenly collapsed when their chief witness stated she had given false testimony at the coroner's inquest and also before the grand jury. One man was freed and the other held in a statutory charge.

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BIRTH RECORD.

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ELEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF FEDERATION OF STATE COLLEGES

Sessions Will be Held April 26-27 at Galesburg—Pres. Rammelkamp and Pres. Harker Will Appear on Program.

The federation of Illinois colleges will hold their eleventh annual meeting in Galesburg April 26 and 27. On Monday, the first day a dinner will be served at the Universalist church and the closing sessions will be at the Galesburg club. Among those on the program are Pres. J. R. Harker who will speak on "Annual losses in student attendance through the college course" and Pres. Rammelkamp will make the report of the committee on "Relation of the colleges of the Federation to state education."

The following are officers of the society:

President—Rev. Theodore Kemp, Illinois Wesleyan.

Vice president—Dr. George M. Potter, Shurtleff college.

Sec. and Treas.—Prof. H. E. Griffith, Knox college.

The program follows:

Monday, April 26—Dinner at 6:30 o'clock at the Universalist church.

"Address of Welcome" President H. W. Hurt.

"The University and the College" Dean David Kinley of the University of Illinois.

"The Certifying Law and the Colleges"—State Superintendent of public instruction F. G. Blair.

Miscellaneous Business.

Appointment of Committees.

Tuesday, April 27—Morning session, Lombard chapel 8:30 o'clock.

Reports of secretary-treasurer.

Registration and payment of annual dues.

Report of committee on "Relation of the Colleges of the Federation to State Education"—By the chairman, President C. H. Rammelkamp, Illinois college.

"The College, Its Ideals and their Realization"—President H. O. Prichard.

"Annual Losses in Student Attendance Through the College Course"—President J. R. Harker, Woman's college.

Luncheon at Lombard Hall at 12 o'clock.

Afternoon session at Galesburg club at 2:30 o'clock.

"College Finance"—Mr. Trevor Arnett, auditor of the University of Chicago.

Reports of Committees and Election of Officers.

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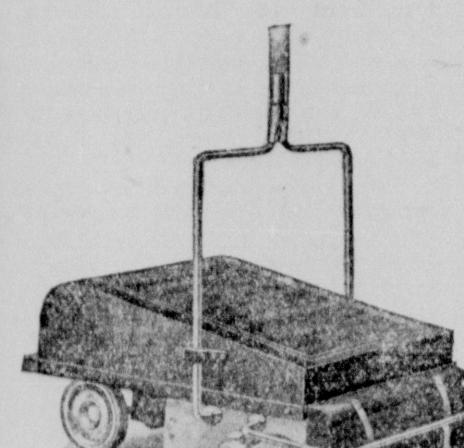
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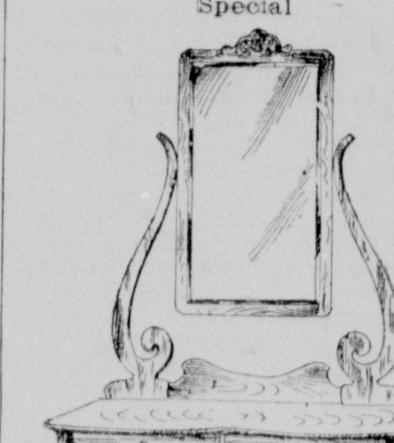
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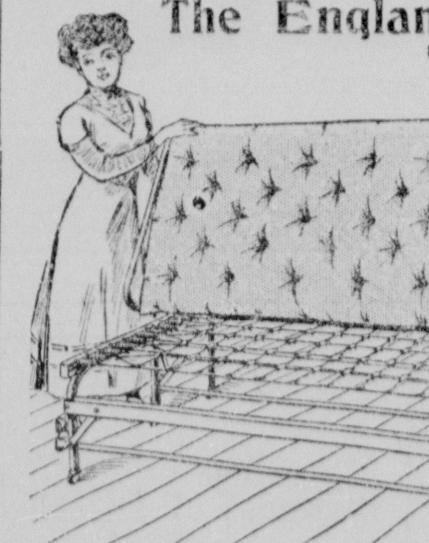
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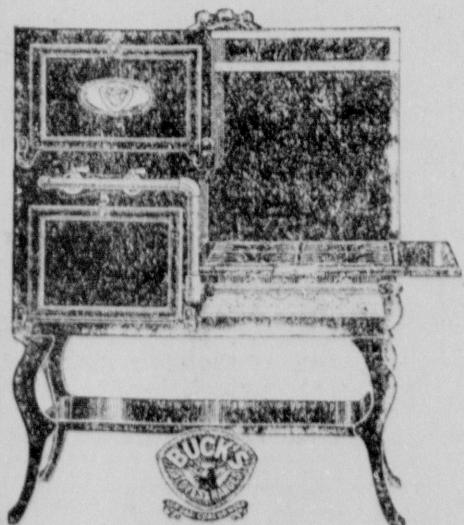
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